



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Mastelli, Arturo

Serial No.: 09/824,661

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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR SECURING TILES TO CURTAIN WALL
MULLIONS

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

This Amendment is being submitted in response to the Office Action dated July 24, 2002 entered in connection with the above identified application.

Please make the following amendments:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims to read as follows:

Sheet 1. (amended) A curtain wall structure, comprising:
horizontal mullions spaced a predetermined distance apart from each other, and
vertical mullions spaced a predetermined distance apart from each other, wherein said
horizontal and vertical mullions are connected together to form a frame having a
plurality of openings therein, wherein a front surface of said frame extends along a first
plane;